

AMENDMENT

Unmarked Version

In the Claims:

Presented below is a clean, unmarked version of all pending claims.

51 80. (Twice Amended) A communications device, comprising:
2 a card body for making operative and removable connection with a signal
3 utilizing device; and
1 a receptacle module for interfacing with a communications line, the
2 receptacle module having a portion for removable insertion into the
3 card body.

1 81. (Once Amended) The communications device of claim 80, wherein the
2 receptacle module comprises a recess configured for closely receiving a
3 plug of the communications line.

1 82. The communications device of claim 81, wherein the recess is configured
2 for closely receiving an RJ-xx series plug.

1 83. The communications device of claim 82, wherein the RJ-xx series plug is
2 selected from the group consisting of an RJ-11, RJ-12, and an RJ-45 plug.

1 84. (Once Amended) The communications device of claim 81, wherein the
2 receptacle module further comprises first and second electrical conductors

3 provided in each of the recesses, the first and second electrical conductor
4 being positioned such that they make electrical continuity with first and
5 second electrical contacts in the plug when the plug is received by the
6 recess.

1 85. (Once Amended) The communications device of claim 80, wherein the
2 receptacle module comprises two recesses configured for closely
3 receiving two plugs, respectively.

1 94. (Once Amended) The communications device of claim 117, wherein the
2 card body is a Type III PCMCIA compliant card body.

Please add the following new claims:

1 117. (New) The communications device of claim 80, wherein the card body is
2 PCMCIA compliant.

1 118. (New) The communications device of claim 81, wherein the receptacle
2 module comprises a pivoting cover that masks the recess when the
3 pivoting cover is in a closed position, and exposes the recess when the
4 pivoting cover is in an open position.

1 119. (New) The communications device of claim 81, wherein the receptacle
2 module additionally comprises an auxiliary connector.

1 120: (New) The communications device of claim 119, wherein the auxiliary
2 connector comprises a connector for connecting to a wireless
3 communications device.

12. 1 120. (New) The communications device of claim 120, wherein the wireless
2 communications device comprises a portable telecommunications device
3 that complies with the GSM (Global System for Mobile Communications)
4 communications standard.

12. 1 121. (New) The communications device of claim 80, wherein the receptacle
2 module additionally comprises a DAA (direct access arrangement).

12. 1 122. (New) The communications device of claim 81, wherein the receptacle
2 module additionally comprises a sliding drawer that masks the recess
3 when the sliding drawer is retracted into the receptacle module, and
4 exposes the recess when the sliding drawer is extended from the
5 receptacle module.

12. 1 123. (New) The communications device of claim 80, wherein the portion of the
2 receptacle module for removable insertion comprises a connector plug,
3 and the card body comprises a connector receptacle, and the receptacle
4 module is removably inserted into the card body by connecting the
5 connector receptacle with the connector plug.

12. 1 124. (New) A communications device having at least one receptacle, where
2 each receptacle comprises a recess for closely receiving a plug, and each
3 receptacle is positioned in a sliding drawer.

12. 1 125. (New) The communications device of claim 123, wherein the recess is
2 configured for closely receiving an RJ-xx series plug.

1 126. (New) The communications device of claim 124, wherein the RJ-xx series
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2 plug is selected from the group consisting of an RJ-11, RJ-12, and an RJ-
3 45 plug.

1 127. (New) The communications device of claim 123, wherein the sliding
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2 drawer comprises a movable bottom that is retractable into the
3 communications device to mask the recess, and extendable away from the
4 communications device to expose the recess.

1 128. (New) The communications device of claim 126, wherein the movable
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2 bottom comprises a bevel to urge the movable bottom in an upward
3 position when the sliding drawer is moved into a retracted position.

1 129. (New) A communications device having at least one receptacle, where
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2 each receptacle comprises:

3 a first half of a jaw having an inner surface, and a plurality of conductors
4 disposed on the inner surface, the first half of the jaw masking the
5 plurality of conductors when in a retracted position, and exposing
6 the plurality of conductors when in an extended position; and

1 a second half of a jaw having an inner surface, the second half of the jaw
2 moving at an angle away from the first half of the jaw when in an
3 extended position, and moving toward the first half of the jaw when
4 in a retracted position, such that the inner surface of the first half of
5 the jaw is in contact with the inner surface of the second half of the

6 jaw,

7 where the first half and second half of the jaw form a recess when both are
8 in an extended position, the recess for closely receiving a plug,
9 such that electrical contacts of the plug are held in continuity with
10 the plurality of conductors.

1 130. (New) The communications device of claim 123, wherein the recess is
2 configured for closely receiving an RJ-xx series plug.

1 131. (New) The communications device of claim 124, wherein the RJ-xx series
2 plug is selected from the group consisting of an RJ-11, RJ-12, and an RJ-
3 45 plug.

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